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Sir:

This is a communication regarding the Preliminary Amendment filed August 28, 2000.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make of record that Applicants erroneously added new claims 22-101 when claims 22-111 should have been added. Claims 22-111 as pending after entry of the Preliminary Amendment filed August 28, 2000 are provided in the attached Appendix for the Examiner's convenience.

We feel that there is no charge associated with the filing of this paper, but the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0815.

Respectfully submitted, BOZICEVIC, FIELD & FRANCIS LLP

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